UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA AUGUSTA DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA)	
)	
v.)	Case No.: 1:23-CR-004
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TIBIUS EDWARDS)	

FINAL ORDER OF FORFEITURE

WHEREAS, on or about April 19, 2023, Tibius Edwards (the "Defendant") entered a plea of guilty to the offense charged in Count Three of the above-captioned Indictment, charging a violation of 18 U.S.C. § 2251(a);

WHEREAS, on April 26, 2023, this Court entered a Preliminary Order of Forfeiture ("Preliminary Order") pursuant to Rule 32.2 of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure, finding that the Samsung Galaxy S9+, Model number SM-G965F, S/N RF8K21RBW4R (hereinafter, the "Subject Property") was property forfeitable to the United States;

WHEREAS, legal notice of the forfeiture was published in this District on the official government website, <u>www.forfeiture.gov</u>, for thirty (30) consecutive days beginning August 9, 2023, through and including September 7, 2023 [Doc. 51 at p.5]; and

WHEREAS, no third party has filed with the Court any petition or claim in connection with the Subject Property and the time to do so under 21 U.S.C. § 853(n)(2) has expired.

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND

DECREED, that pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 2428(a) and (b)(1), and 28 U.S.C. § 2461,

and the Preliminary Order, all right, title, and interest in the Subject Property is

hereby condemned, forfeited, and vested in the United States of America.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the United States Marshals Service,

or its duly authorized agents and/or contractors be, and hereby are, directed to

dispose of the Subject Property in accordance with all applicable laws and

regulations.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the United States District Court for

the Southern District of Georgia shall retain jurisdiction over this case for the

purposes of enforcing the Preliminary Order and this Final Order of Forfeiture and

any supplemental orders of forfeiture as may be necessary.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of Court shall enter final

judgment of forfeiture to the United States in accordance with the terms of this Final

Order of Forfeiture and the Preliminary Order.

SO ORDERED this _/b day of November 2023.

CHIEF JUDGE J. RANDAL HALL

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA

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